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DEPT ALSO PASS SECDEF WASHDC, JCS WASHDC, CSA WASHDC, USCINCEUR
VAIHINGEN AND NDU FT MC NAIR WASHDC

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: MASS, MARR, SO, US
SUBJ: MILITARY SURVEY TEAM FOR SOMALIA

REF: STATE 156030 DTG 200041Z JUN 78

1. CHARGE CALLED ON DIRECTOR GENERAL OF FOREIGN MINISTRY
MOHAMED SHERIF JUNE 20 TO ADVISE HIM OF THE CONTENTS OF
REFTEL. AS EXPECTED, DIRGEN WAS NON-COMMITTAL ON TIMING,
BUT AGREED TO ADVISE CHARGE IF JULY 10 ARRIVAL OF MILITARY
SURVEY TEAM IS ACCEPTABLE.
2. CHARGE ALSO TOOK OCCASION TO INTRODUCE EMOFF RICHARD
ALLOCCA, WHO WILL SERVE AS CONTROL OFFICER AND EMBASSY
REPRESENTATIVE ON TEAM.
3. DIRGEN AGREED THAT EMBASSY MAY NOW WORK DIRECTLY WITH
THE MINISTRY OF DEFENSE TO ARRANGE THE DETAILS OF THE SURVEY
TEAM'S VISIT AND UNDERTOOK TO PROVIDE A CONTACT POINT.
4. COMMENT: IN SIAD'S ABSENCE, WE SUSPECT IT MAY BE
A FEW DAYS BEFORE WE HAVE FINAL AGREEMENT ON THE DATE

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OF ARRIVAL. IN THE MEANTIME, EMBASSY WILL BEGIN CALLING
ON APPROPRIATE DEFENSE OFFICIALS AND BEGIN LAYING
GROUNDWORK FOR VISIT.

5. AS THE DEPT IS AWARE, THERE ARE NO FLIGHTS AR-
RIVING SOMALIA FROM CONVENIENT TRANSFER POINTS ON
MONDAY JULY 10. WE WOULD SUGGEST THAT THE TEAM PLAN

TO ARRIVE ON THE SOMALI AIRLINES FLIGHT FROM ROME,
HH-503, ARRIVING JULY 9.
VOUGHT

NOTE BY OC/T: NOT PASSED ABOVE ADDRESSEES.

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